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August 2, 2019

Thank you for subscribing to my e-newsletter. Below you will find updates from federal, state and local agencies. Should you have any questions about the information below, please do not hesitate to contact us using the contact details listed at the end of this newsletter.

Just today, DHS announced the award of \$47,170,953 in FEMA Hazard Mitigation Grant Funds for the Lake Houston Dam Spillway Improvement Project. This is fantastic news for the Lake Houston community. This starts an expected 36-month timeline on the project. Read more about this and the announcement below.

The Texas Water Development Board released its "Implementation of Flood-Related Legislation" plan for public comment this week. The agency will be hosting workshops across the state to gather stakeholder feedback on the proposed language. Click here to find the meeting nearest you. More information is available below.

Governor Abbott will be hosting a tele-town hall on August 15, 2019. Plan to tune to the CW 39 Houston to watch the vent life, or visit www.centexproud.com to watch it online. To read more, see below.

Should you have questions regarding anything in this newsletter, please feel free to contact us directly using the information provided at the bottom of this email.

Sincerely,





August 2019 Calendar

Download my August 2019 calendar by clicking the link below. This month is full of events in and around Texas that could be fun or useful to you and your family! This new format allows you to save the document for printing or sending to your family members.

Keep watch for these updated calendars at the beginning of each month. Important local and legislative dates and events will be posted here.

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Updates from City of Houston

Councilman Martin: FEMA Awards Grant Funding for Additional Lake Houston Spillway Gates

According to Houston City Council Member Dave Martin and U.S. Congressman Dan Crenshaw, the Lake Houston Spillway Improvement Project was named to receive a Hazard Mitigation Grant through the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) in the amount of \$47,170,953 (Federal Share \$35,378,214.75, Non-Federal Share \$11,792,738.25). This award is pursuant to the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, Section 404, and 44 CFR Part 206.434.

Congressman Crenshaw announced to Council Member Martin:

"Today FEMA approved nearly \$3.3 million for Phase 1 of the gates at the Lake Houston Dam. These gates will increase the flow out of Lake Houston significantly. This money will ensure that the final design will not impact downstream residents and will provide the anticipated relief to the Lake Houston area. Increasing the conveyance will have positive impacts for the entire San Jacinto watershed including the East Fork and the West Fork."

After hearing the news regarding the FEMA Award Council Member Martin had these words to say:

"The Lake Houston Dam gates were always my number one priority as these additional gates give us the ability to proactively release water from Lake Houston in an expeditious fashion if needed during an emergency. Words cannot do justice to say how pleased I am knowing our gates will be built. It's been 22 months of hard work and persistence. I am forever grateful to Congressman Dan Crenshaw, Governor Greg Abbott, Chief Nim Kidd, Senator Creighton, Representative Huberty, Mayor Sylvester Turner, Stephen Costello, former Chief Recovery Officer Marvin Odum, and Congressman Dan Crenshaw's Field Representative Kaaren Cambio. Without these great leaders this project would've never come to fruition. We are truly blessed."

Click here to view the announcement from the District E Office.

Updates from Austin

TWBD: Public Comment Now Open on Flood Legislation Implementation Plan

Implementation of Flood Legislation from the 86th Session

The Texas Water Development Board is pleased to present issues for stakeholder consideration related to the implementation of flood-related legislation, including Senate Bill (SB) 7, SB 8, SB 500, and House Joint Resolution 4.

Read more

www.twdb.texas.gov

TEA: "HB 3 in 30" Video Series - Current Year Values & Fast Growth Districts



Governor Abbott: Tele-Town Hall on July 15th



GOVERNOR GREG ABBOTT

Governor Greg Abbott and Nexstar Media Group, Inc. announced that Governor Abbott will participate in a statewide televised town hall on Thursday, August 15th at 7:00 PM CT. The hour-long town hall will air live on Nexstar stations across the state in addition to streaming on local Nexstar stations' websites. The town hall will focus on the recently completed legislative session, as well as other local issues impacting Texans.

The town hall will take place in Tyler, Texas at the University of Texas at Tyler R. Don Cowan Fine and Performing Arts Center, and will be moderated by Neal Barton of KETK-TV, Sally Hernandez of KXAN-TV, and Phil Prazan of KXAN-TV. The program will open with a brief question and answer session between Governor Abbott and the moderators, followed by questions from audience members.

"This town hall is an opportunity to talk about the successes of the legislative session and hear directly from the people of Texas about the most pressing issues facing their communities," said Governor Abbott. "I look forward to talking with Texans from across the state and discussing ways we can continue to work on their behalf to build an even brighter future for Texas."

The town hall will air live on the following stations and websites:

Market	Station	Network	Website	Social

THECB: Deadline for TASSP Nominations Extended to August 31, 2019



State Representative Dan Huberty House District 127

The Texas Armed Services Scholarship Program Guidelines

The Texas Armed Services Scholarship Program (TASSP) offers a conditional scholarship to a deserving student dedicated to education and military service. Created in 2009 by the 81st Legislature, the TASSP was designed to financially assist post-secondary students by encouraging them to become members of the Texas Army National Guard, the Texas Air National Guard, the United States Coast Guard, the United States Merchant Marine, or to become commissioned officers in any branch of the armed services of the United States. Each year the Texas Governor and Lieutenant Governor appoint up to two students, and each Texas State Senator and State Representative may appoint one student.

To be eligible, the student must fulfill two of the following four requirements:

- On track to graduate or has graduated high school with the Distinguished Level of Achievement Plan or the International Baccalaureate Program (IB);
- Has a current high school GPA of 3.0 or higher or graduated with a GPA of 3.0 or higher on a 4.0 scale;
- Is currently ranked in the top third of their prospective high school graduating class or graduated in the top third of their graduating class;
- 4. Has achieved a college readiness score on the SAT (1070) or ACT (23).

To receive the scholarship, a student must:

- 1. Be enrolled in a Texas public or private accredited institution of higher education;
- 2. Enroll in and be a member of good standing of a Reserves Officer's Training Corps (ROTC) program while enrolled in the institution, as certified by the institution.
- 3. Enter into a written agreement with the Coordinating Board agreeing to:
 - a. Complete four years of ROTC training
 - Graduate no later than six years after the date the student first enrolls at an institution of higher education;
 - c. No later than six months after graduation, provide the Coordinating Board with the verification of:
 - A four-year commitment to be a member of the Texas Army National Guard, Texas Air National Guard, Texas State Guard, U.S. Coast Guard, U.S. Merchant Marine; or

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TWDB Adds Houston Stakeholder Meeting August 23rd @ City Hall

Please contact flood@twdb.texas.gov or 512-463-8725



Texas Water Development Board adds flood workshop in Houston and a webinar

The Texas Water Development Board (TWDB) has added a fourteenth workshop to its roster of flood outreach meetings around the state. The meeting will be held at Houston City Hall on Friday, August 23, at 9:30 a.m. In addition, the TWDB also scheduled a webinar for Monday, August 19, for those who cannot attend the meetings. More information on the webinar will be available soon.

At the meetings and webinar, the TWDB will be soliciting comments on the issues presented in Implementation of Flood Legislation from the 86th Texas Legislative Session. Comments may also be submitted to rulescomments@twdb.texas.gov.

The complete list of workshops is available on the TWDB website.

The workshops are free. No RSVP is required.

Visit our website



Sustainable and affordable water for Texas

Texas Water Development Board | 512-463-7847 | www.twdb.texas.gov

DPS: CLEAR Alert System Announced

CLEAR System Assists Law Enforcement in Locating Adults

AUSTIN - The Texas DPS recently announced the CLEAR Alert System, or the Coordinated Law Enforcement Adult Rescue Alert System to assist law enforcement in locating and rescuing missing adults who may have been kidnapped, abducted or are in danger.

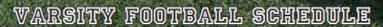
Read more

www.dps.texas.gov

Updates from the District

Humble ISD: Varsity Football Schedules

2019





Football game schedules and schedules for other sports will be posted on the Athletic Department site at www.humbleisd.net/athletics



DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
Fri	Aug. 23	Woodlands	The Woodlands HS (S) .	TBA
Fri	Aug. 30	Katy Taylor	Legacy Stadium	7:00
Fri	Sept. 6	Katy	Turner Stadium	7:00
Fri	Sept. 13	Kingwood	Turner Stadium (H)	7:00
Fri	Sept. 20	OPEN		
Fri	Sept. 27	Sam Rayburn	Pasadena ISD	7:00
Thu.	Oct. 3	South Houston*	Turner Stadium	7:00
Fri	Oct. 11	Pasadena Memorial	Pasadena ISD	7:00
Fri	Oct. 18	Pasadena Dobie	Pasadena ISD	7:00
Fri	Oct. 25	Summer Creek	Turner Stadium (H)	7:00
Sat.	Nov. 2	Pasadena	Turner Stadium	2:00
Fri	Nov. 8	Humble	Turner Stadium (V)	7:00



DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
Fri	Aug. 16	. Wheatley	Turner Stadium (S)	.7:00
Fri	Aug. 23	Channelview	Channelview Stadium (S)	.7:00
Fri	Aug. 30	. Northbrook	Turner Stadium	.7:00
Sat	Sept. 7	. Aldine	Turner Stadium	.6:00
Fri	Sept. 13	.Sam Rayburn	Veterans Memorial	.7:00
Sat	Sept. 21	. South Houston	Turner Stadium	.6:00
Sat	Sept. 28	. Pasadena Memorial .	Veterans Memorial	.6:00
Sat	Oct. 5	. Pasadena Dobie	Turner Stadium	.6:00
Fri	Oct. 11	. Summer Creek	Turner Stadium (V)	.7:00
Thu	Oct. 17	.Pasadena*	Turner Stadium	.7:00
Fri	Oct. 25	.OPEN		-
Fri	Nov. 1	. Kingwood	Turner Stadium (V)	.7:00
Fri	Nov. 8	. Atascocita	Turner Stadum (H)	.7:00



KINGWOOD PARK Panthers

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
Fri	Aug. 16	. Montgomery	Montgomery (S)	TBA
Fri	Aug. 23	. Willis	KPHS (S)	TBA
Fri	Aug. 30	. Angleton	Angleton	7:00
Thu	Sept. 5	. Waltrip	Turner Stadium	7:00
Sat	Sept. 14	. Barbers Hill	Turner Stadium	6:00
	Sept. 19-21	. OPEN		
Fri	Sept. 27	Porter	Texan Drive Stadium	7:00
Fri	Oct. 4	Houston Wisdom ¹	Turner Stadium	7:00
Fri	Oct. 11	Galena Park	Galena Park Stadiun	n7:00
Sat	Oct. 19	. New Caney	Turner Stadium	6:00
Fri	Oct. 25	. Port Arthur Memoria	I Memorial Stadium	7:00
Fri	Nov. 1	Houston Austin	TBA (V)	7:00
Thu	Nov. 7	. Goose Creek Memoria	alTurner Stadium	7:00



DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
Thu	.Aug. 22	Conroe	Kingwood HS (S)	7:00
Thu	.Aug. 29	Ridge Point	Turner Stadium	7:00
Thu	.Sept. 5	Spring Dekaney	Spring ISD Stadium	7:00
Fri	.Sept. 13	Atascocita	Turner Stadium (V)	7:00
Thu	.Sept. 19	Sam Rayburn	Veterans Memorial	7:00
Fri	.Sept. 27	South Houston*	Turner Stadium	7:00
Fri	.Oct. 4	Pasadena Memorial	Veterans Memorial	7:00
Sat	.Oct. 12	Dobie	Turner Stadium	2:00
Fri	.Oct. 18	Summer Creek	Turner Stadium (H)	7:00
Thu	.Oct. 24	Pasadena	Turner Stadium	7:00
Fri	.Nov. 1	Humble	Turner Stadium (H)	7:00
Sat	Nov 9	OPEN		

SUMMER CREEK Bulldogs

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
		Shadow Creek		
Fri	Sept. 6	Pearland Dawson	. The Rig Stadium	7:00
Thu	Sept. 12	Pasadena Memorial	. Turner Stadium	7:00
Fri	Sept. 20	Pasadena Dobie*	. Turner Stadium	7:00
Fri	Sept. 27	OPEN		
Fri	Oct. 4	. Pasadena*	. Veterans Memorial	7:00

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
Fri	Oct. 11	Humble	Turner Stadiu	ım (H)7:00
Fri	Oct. 18	Kingwood	Turner Stadiu	ım (V)7:00
Fri	Oct. 25	Atascocita	Turner Stadiu	ım (V)7:00
Thu	Oct. 31	Sam Rayburn	Turner Stadiu	ım7:00
Sat	Nov. 9	Pasadena S. Hous	ston Veterans Mer	morial 7:00

*Homecoming Game • (H) Home • (V) Visitor • (S) Scrimmage

Constituent Resources

Need Assistance?

Our office is always ready to assist you. Call or email us and we will do our best to help. Many State Agencies also have hotlines or citizen assistance offices to assist you. That contact information is available at this link, in alphabetical order:

http://www.lrl.texas.gov/genInfo/stateAgencies.cfm

Live Updates

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